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WASHINGTON LETTER.

Pres. May Call Extra Session of Congress in Spring.

Government Employees Being Superseded By New Ones Seemingly More Competent.

OTHER NATIONAL ITEMS.

[Special to THE REPUBLICAN.]

Washington, D. C., Feb. 8, 1905.

President Roosevelt may yet decide that an extra session of Congress in the spring for legislating on the railway rate question will be advisable. The general impression has been that an extra session would not be called before the early autumn, but no one realizes more keenly than the President how insistent the country has become in its demand that something should be done, and quickly, in the matter. If the extra session is postponed until fall the result will be more killing of time, and possible postponement of action for another year.

The season of resignations is at hand and the secretaries of the different government departments are in daily receipt of the resignations of men who preserve their heads from the axe by stepping down and out. During the next few weeks there will be a clearing in all the departments and synchronous with the stock taking of merchants will come the inventory of the capable material in the government bureaus. The cleaning up of the Post Office Department has set an example for all the other branches of the government work and whole sale changes are predicted. The work in the Post Office Department which has been carried on so actively ever since the death of Post Master General Payne goes steadily on. Four letter carriers in the Toledo post office were dismissed this week for alleged connection with fake mining schemes and thirty others are required to show cause why they should not also be dismissed from the services. This is but an indication of the purification of the department that is going on in all parts of the country, and when Mr. Cortelyou returns from Europe and takes charge the process is likely to be accelerated. Mr. Cortelyou, though a young man, has been tried in many capacities and has not been found wanting. The public expects rather an unusual quality of ability in his administration of the Postoffice Department. With the retirement of Mr. Bristow who was the only person who could have divided credit and authority with Mr. Cortelyou in the department the latter will have a free hand to continue reforms, so ably inaugurated by Mr. Bristow. It is not often in any department that there can be found too many able and honest men but it was clear that in Mr. Bristow and Mr. Cortelyou the Postoffice was embarrassed with capable reformers. To Mr. Wynne fell the unpleasant task of making Mr. Bristow's place uncomfortable and when Mr. Cortelyou takes charge he will have a clear field.

Senator Mitchell, of Oregon, who is under indictment for having received money for services rendered in having a land claim pushed through the department, is still in Washington and continues to assert his conviction that he will be entirely cleared when the court meets in April. Senator Mitchell has not appeared in the Senate since he made his dramatic speech on the floor of the Senate and so positively asserted his innocence.

Agricultural interests absorbed the Senate Thursday and for once the farmer was the man of the hour. For almost an entire afternoon the

Senate was engaged in a discussion of the policy of distributing ordinary farm and garden seeds from the Agricultural Department through members of Congress. Mr. Lodge and those with him in the debate on the subject stated that the seeds sent out were the common varieties to be bought of dealers everywhere and urged that only rare varieties should be supplied free to the people. He criticized the appropriation of \$240,000 for supplying seeds which were of the cheapest and commonest varieties. He characterized the whole scheme as a humbug and added, "year after year we are appropriating the people's money for the purpose of making gifts to our constituents. It is a pleasant thing to do, we all like to do it but we should not forget that we are making the country pay for it."

M. L. WARD DROWNED.

Attempted to Cross Green River on the Ice and it Gave Way.

M. L. Ward was drowned in Green river near Ceralvo last Saturday morning, surrounded by a dozen or more friends attempting to save his life. He had for some time lived on the old R. T. Iler farm on the opposite side of the river from and a half mile below Ceralvo. The river had been frozen over for several days and the people generally, including the deceased had been using the ice as a walkway from one side of the river to the other.

On this day it was considerably warmer than usual and the ice had softened somewhat and when near the middle of the river the ice gave way and he went into the water. He cried for help but it was sometime, possibly an hour, before he could make any one hear. As soon as any one heard the alarm others were summoned, a skiff was procured and dragged to a point opposite where he broke through and several men started to his rescue, breaking the ice as they went, but before they could reach him, overcome by cold, he sank. He had kept above the water all this time by means of a small pole he carried in his hand at the time the ice gave way. His brother, Ham Ward who lives at Central City was notified and he came and took the remains to Hazel Creek, Muhlenburg county, for interment.

CERALVO.

Feb. 7.—Green River has been frozen over for several days.

Albert Reneer is quite sick at his daughter's, Mrs. Jesse Everly.

E. M. Kimmell and Cecil Fulkerson are attending school at Bowling Green.

M. L. Ward, known as Mit, was drowned here Saturday while attempting to walk across Green river on the ice.

C. L. Overhults, Rockport, was here Sunday.

Mrs. Zula Morris returned from Madisonville some days ago, where she had been having her little boy's eye treated.

Ham Ward, Central City, was here Sunday and took the remains of his brother to Hazel Creek for burial.

MATANZAS.

Feb. 8.—Clifton Maddox is on the sick list.

A. B. Tichenor and W. C. Knott went to Hartford last Monday.

Roy Tichenor and wife, who have been visiting relatives here for the past week, returned to their home at Livermore last Monday.

Some of the young folks are having quite an enjoyable time skating on the ponds and rivers near this place.

J. M. Stearsman went to Heflin Saturday.

The A. S. of E. meets here next Friday night to arrange for delegates to meet with the county meeting which convenes at Beaver Dam next Saturday.

James Bilbro, Heflin, spent Saturday night with friends here.

BECKHAM PLAYED HAND.

Marcum's Assassination Discussed by one Who Knows.

Governor Beckham Promised not to Issue Requisition for Absent Witnesses.

WINCHESTER, Ky., Feb. 7.—Sensational indeed is the deposition of Moses Feltner the run-away witness in the Mrs. Marcum damage suit which is being taken here, and Gov. Beckham is made a party to the machinations of the Hargis clan by Feltner's deposition. In the deposition Feltner swears that B. F. French had warned him while in Ohio, after having been spirited away, as he claims, by the defendants in the Marcum-Hargis damage suit, to remain north of the Ohio river. He says that French told him warrants had been sent to various counties in Kentucky, and that Beckham had promised not to issue requisitions for them until after the conclusion of the damage trial, so they would be safe as long as they stayed in Ohio.

Feltner says that he had been employed to kill Marcum and implicates Alex Hargis, Jim Hargis, Ed Callahan and B. F. French. He implicates Alex Hargis, Ed Callahan and Jim Hargis in the killing of Cockrell. According to the affidavit it had been agreed to kill Marcum and Feltner was the one to do the work.

The first plan was the famous quarry plot, which was brought out in the various trials of the Brethitt murder cases. Feltner had been convicted of killing Jesse Fields, and Marcum took the case to the Court of Appeals, which aroused Feltner's gratitude, and he warned Marcum of the plots to kill him.

The second plot was that Feltner should get Marcum to go to his (Marcum's) office to take an affidavit. A gun was to be hidden half way between Marcum's house and his office. Feltner was to make the affidavit to be used in the appeal and walk part of the way home with Marcum. When he got to where the gun was concealed he was to turn, leave Marcum, seize the gun and shoot him in the back. The plot according to Feltner's deposition, was made in Hargis' office, those present being Feltner, Jim Hargis and Ed Callahan.

BEDA.

Feb. 8.—Business is very good in our town.

Rev. Moorman will preach at the M. E. church Sunday.

Mrs. Tula Chinn, Hartford, spent several days with her parents here last week.

Thomas Maple and family contemplate moving to Illinois in the near future.

Walter Parks visited friends in Buford last Sunday.

Mr. Ezell, traveling salesman for F. T. Gunther, Owensboro, was in our town last week.

Misses Dena and Leona Hudson spent Saturday with Miss Mary Parks.

Frank McCormick and family left Saturday for New Mexico, where they will make their future home. They were accompanied to Illinois by their sister, Miss Belva, who will visit her sister, Mrs. Edward Carson.

Charles Mouk, Louisville, was here last week.

Miss Stella Tanner has returned to her home in Owensboro.

Miss Alberta Greer spent Monday night with Miss Ethyl Bennett.

Thomas Greer went to Hartford Saturday.

Hayden Webb, Noreek, was in our town Tuesday.

Walter Parks and Tolbert Miller attended the party given at Mr. Lewis Magan's, Buford, last Friday night.

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CAUGHT BY THE GRIP. RELEASED BY PE-RU-NA.



A GRIPPE is epidemic catarrh. It spares no class or nationality. The cultured and the ignorant, the aristocrat and the pauper, the masses and the classes are alike subject to la grippe. None are exempt—all are liable.

Have you the grip? Or, rather, has the grip got you? Grip is well named. The original French term, la grippe, has been shortened by the busy American to read "grip." Without intending to do so a new word has been coined that exactly describes the case. As if some hideous giant with awful Grrr had clutched us in its fatal clasp. Men, women, children, whole towns and cities are caught in the baneful grip of a terrible monster.

The following letters speak for themselves as to the efficacy of Peruna in cases of la grippe or its after effects.

After Effects of La Grippe Eradicated by Pe-ru-na.

Mrs. Fred Weinberger, Westerlo, Albany County, N. Y., writes:

"Several years ago I had an attack of la grippe which left my nerves in a prostrated condition. Then I had another attack of la grippe which left me worse. I had tried three good physicians but all in vain. I gave Peruna a trial. In a short time I was feeling better and now I am as well as anyone."—Mrs. Fred Weinberger.

Hon. James R. Guill of Omaha.

Hon. James R. Guill is one of the oldest and most esteemed men of Omaha, Neb. He has done much to make it

what it is, serving on public boards a number of times. He endorses Peruna in the following words:

"I am 68 years old, am hale and hearty, and Peruna has helped me attain it. Two years ago I had la grippe—my life was despaired of. Peruna saved me."—J. R. Guill.

A Relative of Abraham Lincoln.

Mr. Silas S. Lincoln, who resides at 913 I. Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., has the honor of being third cousin to Abraham Lincoln. He writes:

"I had la grippe five times before using your medicine. Four years ago I began the use of Peruna, since which time I have not been troubled with that disease. I can now do as much work at my desk as I ever could in my life. I have gained more than ten pounds in weight."—S. S. Lincoln.

Pe-ru-na Not Only Cured La Grippe but Benefitted the Whole System.

Miss Alice M. Dressler, 1313 N. Bryant Ave., Minneapolis, Minn., writes:

"Last spring I suffered from la grippe and was partially cured but the bad after effects remained through the summer and somehow I did not get strong as I was before. One of my college friends who was visiting me asked me to try Peruna and I did so and found it all more than I had expected. It not only cured me of the catarrh but restored me to perfect health, built up the entire system and brought a happy feeling of buoyancy which I had not known for years."—Alice M. Dressler.

An Actress' Testimonial.

Miss Jean Cowgill, Griswold Opera House, Troy, N. Y., is the leading lady with the Aubrey Stock Co. She writes the following:

"During the past winter of 1901, I suffered for several weeks from a severe attack of grippe, which left a serious catarrhal condition of the throat and head.

"Some one suggested Peruna. As a last resort, after wasting much time and money on physicians, I tried the remedy faithfully, and in a few weeks was as well as ever."—Jean Cowgill.

A Southern Judge Cured.

Judge Horatio J. Goss, Hartwell, Ga., writes:

"Some five or six years ago I had a very severe spell of grippe, which left me with systemic catarrh. A friend advised me to try your Peruna which I did, and was immediately benefitted and cured. The third bottle completed the cure."—H. J. Goss.

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AWAITING EXECUTION.

Thirteen Men in Kentucky Under Death Sentence.

Five of the Men Given the Extreme Penalty are in the Louisville Jail.

There are thirteen men under the death sentence in Kentucky. This is a startling announcement to say the least. Probably at no time in the history of the State has there been thirteen men at one time awaiting death on the gallows. It is, perhaps, a record equaled by no other State.

In the Jefferson county jail at Louisville there are five men under the death sentence. William Van Dalsen, convicted of the murder of his mistress, Fannie Porter, will hang on February 24. The other prisoners in the Jefferson county jail under a sentence of death are George Warner, Jacob Bischoff, James Thomas and Edward Brown. The last two named are negroes.

In the Fayette county jail at Lexington are John Taylor and James Garfield Smith, negroes, recently given the death penalty for the murder of William Moore, a white man, in a saloon on November 20. Ed Taylor was given the death penalty at 12:30 o'clock Sunday morning, after the jury had considered the case for only three minutes.

Confined in the cells at the Cov-

ington jail in Kenton county are two of the most noted prisoners under the death sentences—Curt Jett and Tom White, convicted of the murder of James Marcum at Jackson, for which they were given a life sentence. Afterwards they were tried for the murder of James Cockrell and given the death sentence. They were tried on both charges in Winchester, Ky., last summer. They are now asking for a new trial before the appellate court.

In the Owensboro jail a negro and a white man are under death sentences. They are Roy Green, who is to hang on February 17 for the murder of James Coomes at the fair grounds in July, and Robert Mathley, convicted of the murder of Emma Watkins. His case is now before the appellate court on a motion for a new trial.

At Hopkinsville, Christian county, four negroes were recently given the death penalty for the murder of an unknown white man at Pembroke. Three of the negroes were granted new trials and one was refused a new hearing. George Holland is sentenced to hang on July 6.

Graduation Examination.

On January 27 and 28, 1905, an examination for graduation from the common schools was held at the office of the Superintendent in Hartford and in districts No. 3, 25 and 26. As a result thirty young men and women students will receive diplomas. They are as follows: C. W. Bennett, Irene Miller, Otto Martin and Oscar Flener, Hartford; Wayne Midkiff, Sulphur Springs;

Roscoe Wilson, Lonnie Sanderfur, Garlie Allen and Cindrilla Crowder, Select; C. D. Barnes and Anna D. Reid, Prentiss; Clifton Stevens, Wm. Rogers, Leo Gilstrap, Clarence Haven and Roscoe James, Cromwell; Trall Rogers, Effie C. Taylor, Bessie May Smith, Susan May Hock, Lennie Williams, Ethel Plummer, Beaver Dam; Ernest D. Duke, R. A. Duke, Effie Duke, Nannie Crowder and Lizzie M. Hines, Palo; Sallie A. Hines, Sunnydale; and C. K. Carson, Beda. This is a very fine showing, as heretofore no graduates had been secured at the January examination. The Superintendent feels confident that this number will be more than doubled at the May examination.

CENTERTOWN.

Feb. 6.—L. C. Brown is slowly improving.

Mrs. Fannie Benton is on the sick list.

J. B. Stogner has been confined to his room with rheumatism.

Mrs. O. B. Boskett has grip.

Mrs. Alvin Rowe has been confined to her room with neuralgia.

Mike Bishop has returned from Arkansas.

Finis Rowe is home again after making a short visit to Oklahoma.

J. C. and Gilbert Jackson have moved into their new home on N. Mill street.

Mrs. Smith, who has been visiting her son, Dr. J. L. Smith, of this place, has returned to her home in Richardsville.

Miss Etta Rowe visited Miss Mary Sallee, of Central Grove, last week.

T. H. Benton has returned to his railroad position in Louisville.

WOMAN SOLDIER KILLED.

Young Bride of a Russian Soldier Enlisted in Army.

Strong Desire to See Her Husband Was the Cause—Killed By a Shell.

This is the story of Haratina, alias Haraton, Karotkievitch, the Russian woman who was killed in the trenches while serving as a private of infantry. Stories of Russian amazons have been written and denied so often that one hesitates to tell another.

This story, however, deserves full credence. Some day it will be made public from the war office at St. Petersburg, as in a recent report General Stoessel told the Czar of the young woman's death, and expressed himself as highly pleased with her conduct as a soldier under his command.

At the time of the outbreak of hostilities the ill-fated girl was the month-old bride of Jakoff Karotkievitch, a bartender in a small town on the Chinese Eastern railroad. Jakoff was and is a member of the reserves, and his call to the ranks came shortly after the first Japanese attack on Port Arthur.

He was attached to the garrison of the latter place, and left his young wife at home to look after his interests.

Haratina, anxious to hold her husband's position for him, became a barmaid. However, she found the work so uncongenial that she eventually gave it up, and an intense longing coming over her to see Jakoff, she decided to pay him a visit at Port Arthur. In times of peace she had journeyed to the great port, which is the mecca of the Russian inhabitants of Manchuria, and now she felt perfectly confident that all would go well with her. She did not mention her intention to the neighbors, and disappeared, so far as they were concerned, quite mysteriously from the town.

He was a very much surprised and delighted Jakoff Karotkievitch who saw his pretty wife come marching into the trenches, attired in soldier clothes and carrying a rifle. For a time he could scarcely believe his eyes. The soldiers tell how at first sight of him she forgot military discipline and all that did not have to do with Jakoff; how she threw her rifle upon the ground and fairly jumped into his outstretched arms. Soldiers in the pits looked up from their smoking rifles, eyes wide open with astonishment, not knowing what to make of such startling display of affection between men, and soldiers, too. It took them some time to become reconciled to Haratina's presence in their midst, but General Stoessel tells how after a time they grew accustomed to it and were consequently better men.

With her cap off and her bright hair that had been carefully coiled that the cap might conceal it tumbling over her soldier blouse (an accident entirely due to Jakoff's bearish caresses), Haratina told him, and incidentally a hundred others, how she had become a soldier of the Czar.

She told them how, after her arrival at Harbin, the military police had arrested her and forbidden her to journey to Port Arthur. Notwithstanding the great fear in which Russians, and Russian women especially, hold the police of their country, Haratina disguised herself in masculine attire and secured a position as brakeman on a train bound for Port Arthur.

Shortly after her arrival at Talienman she fell in with two companies of her husband's regiment, in which were friends of hers. In compliance with their suggestion she assumed her proper garb and arrangements were made, not of an official sort, however, for her to accompany them to Port Arthur.

However, on the night before the day set for the company's departure, Haratina was arrested and sent back to Harbin. The guards led her before the captain, who had ordered the arrest, and there the girl told her story so unreservedly and so pathetically that the Russian officer was much impressed by it. Forgetting for the time his official character, he complimented her on the daring manner in which she had outwitted

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ted the police at Harbin. He even suggested that she enlist and become a soldier, inasmuch as there existed a general order forbidding women unattached to the army to enter Port Arthur.

Haratina at once fell in with the idea, and the next morning before the departure of the companies she took the oath of fidelity, donned her uniform, shouldered her rifle and became as a man among men, all for Jakoff's sake. She was assigned to one of the companies, and left that afternoon, marching in a second set of fours.

In camp and in the trenches the young woman became a great favorite, the soldiers regarding her as a modern Joan Arc. Her wish is said to have been law with them, and when in her presence they carefully refrained from profanity. In fact, she seemed to wield a good influence over the entire garrison. In her first action she established a reputation that a general might well envy. Soldiers followed her blindly, and sometimes her company officers had the greatest difficulty in preventing her from leading the men into zones of great danger. In one bayonet charge she is said to have killed a Japanese soldier with her bayonet and wounded another with a bullet. On another occasion, a Japanese, falling wounded near her, she dropped her rifle and cared for him until the stretcher man came to take him to the hospital. The wounded Japanese recognized her as a woman and kissed her hand as she walked beside his stretcher.

She was in the fights of May 16 and 26, also at Yulpatze and Green Hill as a member of the Seventh company, Fifteenth regiment. During this latter fight Russian soldiers love to tell how she laughed merrily when the bullets were humming over the trenches.

On one occasion Jakoff was appointed orderly to ill-fated Captain Gentenkoff, who fell at Quinsan. Despite her tearful protest, Haratina was obliged to remain with her spouse, assisting him in his duties as orderly. This service was very obnoxious to her, and one night she surreptitiously took herself back to the front and the company she loved

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so well. For this, beach of discipline, however, she was arrested the next day and threatened with court-martial. After remaining in the guardhouse for a week she was released, no reason being given for the action.

On August 19, at Corner Hill Jakoff received a sharpnel wound in the leg which laid him up in the hospital. Haratina, now answering to duty's call, nursed him into the convalescent stage. During this time she wore clothes belonging to one of the hospital nurses. However, when Jakoff was out of all danger she began to yearn for the excitement of duty in the trenches, and, cleaning her rifle and brushing up her uniform, she set out to join her company. Subsequently she was in the fierce fighting about the waterworks redoubt, conducting herself with rare gallantry. It was here that some of the soldiers of her regiment charged the Japanese, shouting her first name in answer to the weird "banzais."

On October 18 the soldier woman was to have celebrated her twenty-first birthday, but, sad to relate, while visiting the Sixth company of her regiment an eleven-inch shell exploded over its trench, killing the brave woman and eight others instantly.

The news of the heroine's death cast a gloom over the entire garrison; officers and men mourned for her alike, and many a rough, war-hardened fellow shed tears of gentle sympathy. They buried her with eight others under the brow of Rocky Hill, and on her grave now stands a rude wooden cross inscribed with the following epitaph: "Private Haratina Karotkievitch, the bravest of Russian women, who fell fighting for her Czar and her country."

Public Is Aroused.

The public is aroused to a knowledge of the curative merits of that medicinal tonic, Electric Bitters, for sick stomach, liver and kidneys. Mary H. Walters, of 546 St. Clair Ave., Columbus, O., writes: "For several months, I was given up to die. I had fever and ague, my nerves were wrecked; I could not sleep, and my stomach was so weak, from useless doctors' drugs, that I could not eat. Soon after beginning to take Electric Bitters, I obtained relief, and in a short time I was entirely cured." Guaranteed at Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro's. drug store; price 50c.

Eclipses in 1905.

There will be four eclipses during the year 1905—two of the sun and two of the moon.

A partial eclipse of the moon will occur on the night of the 19th of February—invisible to North America.

An annular eclipse of the sun, invisible in the United States, will take place March 5th and 6th.

There will be a partial eclipse of the moon August 14th, visible to the greater parts of the United States embracing Kentucky.

A total eclipse of the sun, visible only as a partial eclipse in Kentucky, will occur on the 30th day of August. In this section, the sun will rise in a partial eclipse, which will continue for one hour and eight minutes.

The Sunshine of Spring.

The Salve that cures without a scar is DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Cuts, Burns, Boils, Bruises and Piles disappear before the use of this salve as snow before the sunshine of spring. Miss H. M. Middleton, Thebes, Ill., says: "I was seriously afflicted with a fever sore that was very painful. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cured me in less than a week." Get the genuine. Sold by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro.

Cows Lunch on Dynamite.

Two cows belonging to P. S. O'Neill a Marshall county (Ia.) farmer living southwest of Eldora, near Zealring, ate a quantity of dynamite, which was set in a pasture in which the cows were feeding, and died from the effects of the same.

The farmer does not know in what part of the animals' anatomy the dynamite is now lodged and does not dare go near them or remove the hides or attempt to bury the bovines for fear of an explosion. He has offered the animals to any person who will come and get them, but says he will not assume the responsibility, for he fears an explosion may occur at any time, as there was sufficient dynamite to do a lot of damage if it happens to be struck in handling the stock.

NO MYSTERY IN RADIUM.

Prof. Millikan at the University of Chicago Ridicules the Idea of Phenomena.

That there is anything mysterious or revolutionary in the recent discoveries concerning radium was denied by Prof. Robert A. Millikan, of the University of Chicago, in a recent lecture.

"Radium is an element not greatly different from all the others," he said. "Its activity is not an isolated phenomenon. It fits into the orderly scheme of scientific knowledge and supplements established theories, but does not destroy them. The shooting off particles from radium is correlated with other phenomena of physics. It is analogous to the exploding of stellar systems, which astronomers tell us constantly is occurring. The rate of the breaking up of the atoms—one out of 100,000,000,000 a second—is no greater relatively than that of the disintegration of stars. Calculations show that radium cannot last longer than 1,000,000 years—a brief period in geological time. In that time all the radium on the earth will have

passed away. There are two theories as to the origin of radium; one that it is derived from uranium; the other, that it is built up from simpler elements. The latter is without substantiation in inorganic chemistry."

Give Your Stomach a Rest.

Your food must be properly digested and assimilated to be of any value to you. If your stomach is weak or diseased take Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It digests what you eat and gives the stomach rest, enabling it to recuperate, take on new life and grow strong again. Kodol cures sour stomach, gas, bloating, heart, palpitation and all digestive disorders. Sold by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro. m

Ants That Spin.

A great many people have been studying ants lately, and every little while somebody discovers something new and wonderful about them, so that we are beginning to realize that these common insects that we thought were so well known have not been known at all to us, and that they are probably the most remarkable forms of life in the whole world.

One explorer has just found a species of ants in the American tropics which spin threads like spiders,

only they do it, not with organs in their own bodies, but by means of other insects which they catch and keep in slavery. These insects have glands in their heads which produce silky threads. The ants seize the insect-slaves, whenever they wish to spin a web or a rope or to tie anything together, and rub the prisoners head along the desired spot until the necessary amount of fiber has been deposited. In this way they tie immense numbers of leaves together to make their great houses which hang from the trees in the tropics like vast growths, and at times they pass big ropes from tree to tree.

That Tickling in the Throat.

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I have never tried Dr. Carlstedt's German Liver Powder, but if you will supply me a 25c bottle free I will take it.

Name

Address

Give full address. Write plainly.

"FLAT AS A FLOUNDER."

Something of the Life History of an Interesting and Curious Fish.

[St. Nicholas.]

The expression "as flat as a flounder" has become proverbial, but it does not apply to very young flounders, which differ so much from the adult ones that they can hardly be recognized as belonging to the same family as their parents. Most boys and girls are familiar with full-grown flounders, but very few of them, and few older people, know anything about the appearance of young flounders and the wonderful transformation they undergo. In spring and summer it is possible for young nature students to secure specimens of newly hatched flounders by dragging a fine mesh net on sunny days when the water is smooth. Such specimens may easily be kept alive in dishes of salt water, and examined from time to time with a low-power microscope.

The flounders begin life as do ordinary fishes. When they first emerge from the egg they swim vertically, with the head turned upward. Their bodies are symmetrical and their eyes are on opposite sides of the head. Gradually the position of the body changes from vertical to horizontal, and the fish remain thus for some time, swimming like ordinary fishes, but while still very small there is foreshadowing of the bottom life they are destined for, and they enter upon a series of remarkable changes. The most striking of these changes is in the position of the eyes. The eye of one side or the other slowly but steadily moves over to the opposite side of the head and takes a place beside the other eye. In some flounders the eye moves round the front of the head, in others it moves directly through the head. This shifting of the eye's position is accompanied by a change in the position of the body, which ceases to be upright and becomes more and more oblique. The side of the body from which the eye is moving gradually becomes inferior to the other, until by the time the change of the eye is complete the fish swims with its blind side underneath, and this position is ever after maintained. The flounder then ceases its free swimming habit and sinks to the bottom.

Some species of flounders are right sided and others are left sided. In the right sided forms the left eye moves to the right side and the left side becomes undermost. In the left sided species the opposite conditions prevail. It rarely happens that right sided species have left sided individuals, and vice versa. In a few species both right sided and left sided fish occur in about equal numbers.

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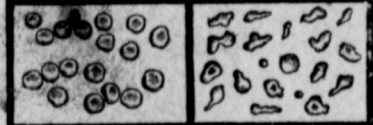
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Pigs of the Philippines.

[Staff Correspondent American Farmer.] The very worst species of pigs I ever saw are in the Islands of the Philippines. I soldiered in the islands of Luzon, Panay and Mindanao for almost four years, during which I saw the thin, razor-backed, half-starved pigs of the country very frequently. The present condition of the pigs of the Philippines has no excuse, for the reasons that the country produces richly and the climate favors the growth of the animal. But the natives do not know how to breed pigs. The pigs are lean because of lack of enough to eat. Instead of raising products for the pigs to thrive on, the pigs are either

BLOOD CELLS.

IN HEALTH. IN DISEASE.



Man is a millionaire many times over in the possession of blood cells. Woman is not quite so rich, for scientists have proven that the normal number of red blood cells in adult men is five million; in women four and a half million, to the square millimeter. The normal cell is not absolutely round in health, but, in disease, becomes extremely irregular in shape. Every one can be in perfect health and possess the millions of rich red blood corpuscles if they only know how to go about it. Dr. R. V. Pierce, consulting physician to the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y., advises every man and woman to prepare for a long life by observing nature's laws. In the first place, if your digestion is faulty, and the food you eat is not taken up by the blood and assimilated properly, you need a tonic and digestive corrector, something that will increase the red blood corpuscles; he believes in going about this in nature's own way. Years ago, in his active practice, he found that an alterative extract of certain herbs and roots, put up without the use of alcohol, would put the liver, lungs and heart into fuller and more complete action. This medicine he called Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. By assimilating the food eaten, it nourishes the blood, and, instead of the ill-shaped corpuscles, the person's blood takes on a rich red color and the corpuscles are more nearly round. Nervousness is only the cry of the starved nerves for food, and when the nerves are fed on rich red blood the person loses those irritable feelings, sleeps well at night and feels refreshed in the morning.

KNOWLEDGE IS POWER.

If you want to know about your body, read Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser, which can be had for the cost of mailing, 31 cents in one-cent stamps for the cloth-bound book, or 21 stamps for the paper-covered volume. 1008 pages. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cleanse the bowels and stimulate the sluggish liver.

penned up near the native shacks and starved on the leaving of little family meals, or let loose in the streets to act as scavengers. The mode of penning up the pig for fattening consists in the erection of a barrier of bamboo poles and jungle stuffs. Often the stand is made up on an elevated position near the house and the wastages from the native meal are cast to the pig. But the native family leaves but very few crumbs after a meal. The native youngsters seldom have enough to eat and what is left for piggy from the Filipino spread is very small in capacity. The remaining foods and refuse from the floor-table of the average native is swept into the den of piggy and he devours the same greedily. In some instances, in which piggy is fortunate enough to be fattened by the family of the sugar grinder, the tobacco grower, the storekeeper or the coconut oil-maker, then he gets enough to eat because these families are well-to-do and have something to spare when the meal is finished. But the great majority of pigs of the islands belong to the poorest of the natives and the proportion of the table fare for them is small indeed, and in fact they go hungry most of the time.

It is because of the poor system of feeding the native pigs that the stock is so inferior. The pigs may be seen wandering through the streets and searching for the refuse about the houses. It is seldom that they find anything worth the eating. The Filipino pig is a very dirty animal and anything is suitable to his taste. It is not often that the meat of the pig is eaten by Americans. The Spanish and Chinese eat the meat as well as the natives. The wild pigs are the only ones eaten by the soldiery of the army, as these pigs live on the vegetable growths of the jungle and their meat is clean.

Fiendish Suffering

Is often caused by sores, ulcers and cancers, that eat away your skin. Wm. Bedell, of Flat Rock, Mich., says: "I have used Bucklen's Arnica Salve, for Ulcers, Sores and Cancers. It is the best healing dressing I ever found." Soothes and heals cuts, burns and scalds. 25c at Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro's. drug store; guaranteed.

Burning Cotton.

It is difficult to believe the stories from the South that the people are burning their cotton as a means of keeping up prices. There is an element in it both of the ludicrous and pathetic. At once the old idiom of setting fire to the house to get rid of the rates is suggested, and the one act is not a whit less ridiculous than the other. If farmers generally should adopt this method when prices of products ran low, they would set a very vicious example to the rest of the world, but would be themselves the worst sufferers. Their last estate would be worse than the first, as their property would be gone without improving their condition. If the object be revenge it would be like the revenge of Samson, who indeed killed his enemies, but to do so involved himself in the same ruin. If the object be to raise prices, it is equally futile, because even if the prices should go up, those who had burned their products would of course have that much less to sell.

We know of but one historic parallel for this cotton burning. Many centuries ago the Dutch owned the Spice Islands and with them had a monopoly of the spice trade, as this article was then nowhere else obtainable. An enormous revenue came to the government from its exclusive control over these rich islands, and they were guarded with utmost care from outside depredation. A certain old Dutch governor, sent out from Holland to rule the islands, had a bright idea to flash in his brain while smoking his pipe and pondering over the problem one day. "These spice trees produce so many pounds of spices and these spices are worth so much money," remarked the Governor as he concluded his meditations. "What's the use of so many trees? I will cut down half of them and thus double the value of the others." It did not occur to this stupid official that in as much as there was no possibility of competition and all the produce of his trees was in ready demand at good prices he was simply burning up half his income by destroying half his trees.

That is precisely the situation with the southern cotton growers; they have a practical monopoly of the cotton of the world, whose price left to the law of supply and demand will of course, fluctuate but in long run be satisfactory. Manifestly, if there is a surplus, the remedy is not to burn, but to store it against a short crop in the future. Even to sell at half price, however, would be better than burning, just as something is better than nothing.

A Touching Story

Is the saving from death, of the baby girl of Geo. A. Eyerle, Cumberland, Md. He writes: "At the age of 11 months, our little girl was in declining health, with serious Throat Trouble, and two physicians gave her up. We were almost in despair, when we resolved to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. The first bottle gave relief: after taking four bottles she was cured, and is now in perfect health." Never fails to relieve and cure a cough or cold. At Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro's. drug store; 50c and \$1.00 guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

Scraps of News.

Three tons of Epsom salts and 1,000,000 pills were used in the hospitals of London last year.

A resident of Woking, England.

All Run Down

THIS is a common expression we hear on every side. Unless there is some organic trouble, the condition can doubtless be remedied. Your doctor is the best adviser. Do not dose yourself with all kinds of advertised remedies—get his opinion. More than likely you need a concentrated fat food to enrich your blood and tone up the system.

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sued a local baker "for injuries sustained by eating a pork pie." He lost his suit, but the incident is hailed as a cheering precedent.

A total of \$52,000,000,000 passed through the London Clearing House last year.

The French have a new word for carriages drawn by horses. They are "hippomobiles."

When the German Emperor travels on home railways a detailed bill is made out for every engine and car used and for the distance traversed. It is estimated that he pays the Prussian railways alone about \$25,000 a year.

The city of Cashel, County Tipperary, was illuminated to celebrate the arrival of the first railroad train recently. A railway from Cashel to Dublin was authorized by parliament in 1844, but it has only just been built.

A Norwegian chemist predicts that the time will come when more alcohol will be made from sawdust than from potatoes.

Bad breath, belching of gas and sour risings are all due to Indigestion. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is a guaranteed cure. L. A. Soper, of Little Rock, Ky., writes us: "We feel that Kodol Dyspepsia Cure deserves all the commendation that can be given it, as it saved the life of our little girl when she was three years old. She is now six and we have kept it for her constantly, but of course she only takes it now when anything disagrees with her." Kodol is the best medicine in the world for Indigestion, Dyspepsia and all stomach troubles. A trial of this greatest of all digestants will convince any who suffer. Good for young and old. Sold by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro. m

Sentence Sermons.

[Chicago Tribune.]

Every true man seeks truth. You cannot lead without love. Hiding sin prevents healing. Braggards are always leggards. Pessimism is the worst of all heresies. Soft soap usually has much lye in it.

The only living art is the art of living.

Work is the only coin that buys wisdom.

Labor of God is vain without love for man.

Humility gives the level head on the lofty height.

Throwing sand in another's eyes is no proof of your own grit.

The public kickers often have but weak private consciences.

When the Bible hides your brother it is time to dig through it to him.

A man has to have some roots before he can have any worth while fruits.

It is always easier to go ahead in slippery places than it is to turn around.

Men are willing to give the Lord seed corn if only they can have a mortgage on the crop.

It's a good thing to have high ideals, but there's no sense in keeping your bread in a balloon.

The boy who is afraid to strike back will never make the man brave enough to turn the other cheek.

There's a lot more religion in gritting your teeth and gritting at trouble than there is in a sanctified, sour submission.

If the man who thinks only of saving his own soul ever gets into heaven, he will probably fall out through a knothole.

The people who sing most about wanting to be angels would have no trouble in getting their neighbors to indorse their applications.

Deserved Popularity.

To cure Constipation and Liver troubles by gently moving the bowels and acting as a tonic to the liver, take Little Early Risers. These Famous Little Pills are mild, pleasant and harmless, but effective and sure. Their universal use for many years is a strong guarantee of their popularity and usefulness. Sold by Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro., Hartford.

Kept Busy.

[Chicago Journal.]

"They say Buttin is a rising young society man."

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Many remedies for Female Diseases are on the market, but the only one that has proven to be an absolute and positive cure for all forms of Female Trouble is FEM-A-CU-RA. A single trial will convince the most skeptical of its almost miraculous curative powers. Made only by the LEITCHFIELD PHARMACEUTICAL CO., (Inc.) For sale by

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10.

FOR MAGISTRATE.

We are authorized to announce JOHN M. SHULTZ as a candidate for the office of Magistrate of the Cromwell district, subject to the action of the Republican party.

We are authorized to announce MACK COOK as a candidate for the office of Magistrate of the Cromwell district, subject to the action of the Republican party.

FUNNY weather we're having, isn't it?

THE daily forecast says a cold wave is coming. Well, what is this we are having, a summer breeze?

HEREAFTER the national flag will have forty-seven stars. Oklahoma and New Mexico have been added.

ISN'T it about time for Senator Blackburn to pour some more hot water into the hole where Gov. Beckham is hibernating.

CONSIDERING the number of runners on the streets and roads for the past few days, one might conclude that the trotter had gone to the rear.

A SCIENTIST says that it is impossible for one to get drunk on top of the Alps. It would be well for some people to take up their residence there.

RIOT, murder and assassination go merrily on in Russia. The latest victim of prominence is the Prosecutor-General of Finland, who was assassinated in his home Sunday.

JOHN L. SULLIVAN in a recent lecture said that no man could drink whisky and be a prizefighter. Well, there are many who never entertained the hope of being a prizefighter anyway.

A NEW YORK Chauffeur was fined \$500 for killing a woman by recklessly driving his automobile. It won't be long until the automobile will have no rights which the courts are bound to respect.

THE statements of some of the former members of the Breachitt county Assassination Society reveal a condition of affairs truly shocking and appalling. If the trail of this serpent of riot and ruin is followed where will it end?

THE investigation into the recent election in Colorado has revealed some startling frauds. Two witnesses have testified that they voted the Democratic ticket one hundred times each. This is only a sample of what they do in the West.

ANYONE in search of health should join the Japanese army. The mortality from disease in the army commanded by Gen. Oku is only 2 per 1,000 of those who go to the hospital. The sanitation in the Japanese army is a revelation to other nations.

NOW THAT the Kentucky Legislature has done the work for which it was called to meet it is in order for each member thereof to explain to an anxious constituency why it took from January 12 to February 8, at an expense of \$30,000 to the State, to appropriate \$60,000 to pay for the new Capitol site. One at a time please.

MOSE FELTNER, in a sworn deposition at Winchester the first of the week, declared that B. F. French told him that Governor Beckham promised that he would not compel him (Feltner) to come back to the State until the Marcum damage suit was finished. And yet there are some puny imps who say there is no politics in the Marcum assassination affair.

THE extravagant love of marshal renown and military glory characteristic of the French has prompted them to make preparations for a triumph for Stoessel when he reaches Paris. Stoessel has shown himself to be a faithful instrument of tyranny and usurpation, but Republican France can hardly, with consistency, show extravagant honor to a tool of soulless despotism.

RENDER.

Feb. 7.—Miss Nettie Williams and Clayton Williams, of Rockport, were the guest of their grandparents,

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Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Reid, last week. Miss Ada Snell returned to her home in Horton last Wednesday, after being here on a two weeks' visit.

W. H. Minor, of Central City, was here last Wednesday.

J. F. Hocker was in Central City last Wednesday.

C. M. Baggerly, of Louisville, was here last Thursday.

Rev. A. J. Williams, of Hartford, was here Thursday.

G. B. Roll was in Beaver Dam last Friday.

Mrs. G. T. Tinsley and daughters, Minnie Lee and Pearl, were on the sick list last week with the grip.

Messrs. Isaac Oser and Sam James, Sr., were on the sick list last week with the grip.

C. C. Baize was in Hartford last Friday.

Messrs. Walter Blackburn and P. B. Burton were in Rockport last Saturday.

Miss Rosabel Cobb, of Sacramento, came up last Saturday to be the guest of her cousin, Mrs. O. W. Harris, for a week.

The mines did not work here last Friday and Saturday. The cold spell froze the pipe line so they could not get water.

Messrs. Mack Dowell and A. T. Sloan left for Linton, Ind., last week where they have gone to work.

Dr. H. B. Innis was in Hartford last Saturday.

Geo. Edwards was in Horton last Sunday.

Messrs. W. J. Sloan and Ernest Andrew were in Rockport last Sunday.

J. H. Brown was in Louisville on business last Sunday.

Ed Mossbarger and Geo. Lyons, of Louisville, were here on business yesterday.

S. S. Hoover, of Louisville, was here on business to-day.

G. W. Baize was in Hartford to-day.

David Watkins, of Central City, Superintendent of the C. C. & I. Co. was here on business to-day.

Miss Nellie Harris is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sidenius, of Hartford, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jones to-day.

F. E. B.

We heard a man say the other morning that the abbreviation for February—Feb.—means freeze every body, and that man looked frozen in his ulster. It was apparent that he needed the kind of warmth that stays, the warmth that reaches from head to foot, all over the body. We could have told him from personal knowledge that Hood's Sarsaparilla gives permanent warmth, it invigorates the blood and speeds it along through artery and vein, and really fits men and women, boys and girls, to enjoy cold weather and resist the attacks of disease. It gives the right kind of warmth, stimulates and strengthens at the same time, and all its benefits are lasting. There may be a suggestion in this for you.

GENERAL NEWS.

Gathered From Various Sources
Over the Country--Brief Items.

Weather conditions in West Tennessee, Mississippi, Arkansas, Louisiana and Texas are the worst experienced in years. River traffic is suspended, trains are greatly delayed and in some instances street car traffic is paralyzed. Telegraph and telephone wires are down also. Cattle in Texas are suffering and stock men place their losses at hundreds of thousands of dollars.

August W. Machen, former head

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Full all the time of all the standard brands of Muslins. Sheetings, Tickings, Prints, Apron Check, Gingham, etc., at the lowest possible prices.

Ladies' Skirts

By cautious buying we are able to show you a clean, fresh line of Skirts at prices of shop-worn garments. For this month only we give you choice of our \$2 Skirts for \$1.39; our \$3.50 Skirts for \$2.29. It's to your interest to buy now and buy from us.

Corset Specials

With the two well-known brands, the "American Lady," and "R. & G." we should be in a position to suit the taste of any lady. Visit this department if you desire a Corset that wears and fits well. Price 50c to \$1.50.

We are trying hard to run the business right. If we do make any mistakes come to us and tell us. We will be more anxious to correct the error than you may be to have us.



We have opened up an entirely new department which we have called our

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in which we will carry Home Goods and House Furnishings, etc., which we do not carry in stock up stairs. It is a daylight basement, airy and commodious, and in it you will find

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Big tablets
Shawl straps.
Mixing spoons
Plain dairy pans
Wash basins
Dust pans
Mouse traps
Fancy trays
Wooden perforated chair seats
Rolling Pins
Towel Rollers
Lace shelf Paper
Brushes of various sorts.
Flue Stoppers
Cake Cutters
Garden Trowels
500 good smooth picks
6 dozen clothes pins
Box scented Talcum powder
Bottle best Vaseline
Men's good mixed Sox
1 dozen Mason's jar rings
5 cakes ironing wax
1 yard shelf oil cloth
Piece Crepe tissue paper
Brass curtain rods
Ladies' all-linen hemstitched handkerchiefs
Pretty piece of opalescent glassware
Two good hemstitched handkerchiefs
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Cake Pears soap
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Extra large pieces of glassware—some worth 25c
Opalescent ware, assorted patterns
Useful sink strainers
Rattan carpet beaters
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Shawl straps
Bread knives
Ice cream dishes
Tin saucer pans
Tin preserve kettles
Soap dishes
Heavy dust pans
Comb and brush trays
Muffin pans
Glass dippers
Milk strainers
Wooden chopping bowls
Towel racks
Towel rollers. Mop holders
Hat and coat racks
Extra good scrub brushes
50 foot braided clothes line
"Vim" rat traps
1 large matted picture
Box Violet talcum powder
Alcohol stove
Men's fancy embroidered hose
Ladies fast black hose
Good whisk broom
Good dressing comb
New pearl waist sets
Boy's base ball masks
Ladies' pad front hose supporter
Ladies' or child's good side supporter
Yard of wide fancy neck ribbon.

White Goods.

Our new spring line is the prettiest that we have ever shown. New effects in mercerized Jaquards, Etamines, DeSoie, Mercerized Batiste, Corded Muslins, Mercerized Grenadines, Persian Lawns, Fancy Piques, Ivory Jaquards, Mercerized Poplins, etc.

If it's White Goods come to see us.

Spring Embroideries.

Undoubtedly the biggest and cheapest line that will be shown in Hartford. Not old patterns, this year's production at a low price.

It's certainly cheap when you can buy Embroidery as wide as 10 in. for 10c We have them.

Spring Silks.

This means New Silks, New Shades, bought at prices that make competition wonder. Silks for Waists, Silks for Suits, will be in the ascendency this spring. We have a regular 75c quality for only..... 59c

Come and see them before buying.

Dress Goods.

Our Spring Line is just in. Composing all the new shades in the late wears. From what we can gather Mohiars, Sicillians and Panama Cloth are the favorites. We have a strong line from 50c to 75c in fancy and plain.

Come and see them or write for samples.

Spring Shirts

Entirely new patterns. No carried-over, dirty stock. Clean, fresh, desirable goods, everyone a beauty and a bargain. For this month our entire line of 75c Shirts for 49c. One lot of men's good work Shirts, sizes 14 to 17, regular 35c values for 19c.

Winter Underwear

To close our Underwear entirely out, we have reduced our stock of Men's Heavy Fleece Garments from 50c to 39c. Our Men's Fleece Ribbed Garments now 19c. Ladies' 25c vests now 19c.



New Feature of Y. M. C. A.

For the third time in the history of the work of the Kentucky Young Men's Christian Associations, there will be held in connection with the Annual State Convention at Owensboro, February 16-19, a Conference for the Women's Committees of the Associations of the State. The Conference will be held in the Assembly Hall of the Association building on Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock and will be presided over by Miss Sue B. Scott, of Lexington. Papers will be presented by Miss Ora V. Leigh, of Paducah, and Mrs. Lee Riker, of Harrodsburg, an informal discussion following each topic.

The Owensboro Women's Committee

tee will entertain the delegates while in the city, and a rate of one and one-third fare has been granted by all of the railroads of the State. There are splendid indications for a strong and representative Conference.

New Blacksmith Shop.

I have opened up a number one Blacksmith Shop and am prepared to do all kinds of work in the line, at lowest prices. Corn, Hay, Oats &c taken as pay for work.

F. M. ALLEN,
Centertown, Ky.

2714
Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar cures all coughs, and expels colds from the system by gently moving the bowels.

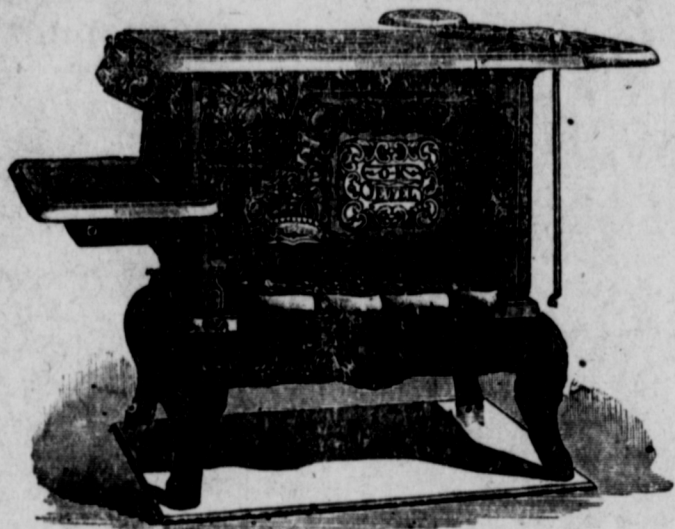
Entertainment at the Opera House.

The Wells-Greenawalt Unique Musical company gave an excellent entertainment at the Opera House Wednesday night. Owing to the very inclement weather there was not a large attendance, but everyone present seemed well pleased with the performance. It is the general opinion that the country does not afford a more high-class crowd of entertainers.

CASTORIA.

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Bears the Signature of
J. C. H. H. H.

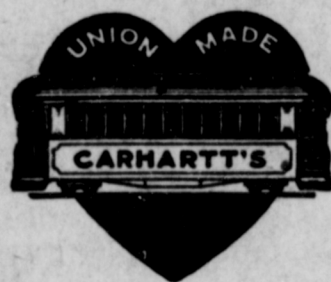
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We have sold the O. K. line of Cooking Stoves for quite a number of years, and the satisfaction they have given our customers proves conclusively that this brand of stoves have no superior. Easy to operate; cooks with less fuel and lasts longer than any stove on the market. We carry this line from an \$8.50 Step Stove, (with all the vessels) to a \$45 Steel Range. Buy an O. K. Stove or Range and it will be a pleasure to cook a meal.

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Are strong protection and everlasting economy to the working man. The fit neatly and wear satisfactorily. They are good for the farmer, the mechanic the miner and all other classes of laborers. The price is \$1 per garment.

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Glove has fully demonstrated its popularity by repeated purchases by constant wearers of Gloves. Buy one pair and your Glove business is ours. Price one dollar.

Beaver Dam, Ky.

LOOK OUT FOR MARTIN & LONG'S BIG SLAUGHTERING SALE

Having purchased the large and up-to-date stock of Mrs. Sarah Collins Smith, we are going to offer at actual first cost for the NEXT SIXTY DAYS, beginning February 4th, this entire stock, consisting of men's and boys' Clothing, Overcoats, Hats, Shirts, Shoes of all description, Neckwear, ladies' and gents' Underwear, ladies' and children's Cloaks, Furs, Skirts, Dress Goods, Duck Coats, Overalls, Perfumes of all kinds, and most everything pertaining to an up-to-date stock of Dry Goods and Notions. A big line of men's and boys' Rubber and Felt Boots that must go regardless of price. We feel sure that if you will look through this stock you will find just what you have been looking for, and the price will please you. We are going to continue business at this place, and have secured the help of Mrs. Sarah Collins Smith, the efficient and well-known milliner, who will have charge of our Millinery department, and in due time we will show you one of the most complete stocks of Millinery, Dry Goods, etc., in Ohio county. **MARTIN & LONG, HARTFORD, KY.**

Hartford Republican.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10.



Illinois Central Railroad--Time Table.

North Bound.	South Bound.
No. 132 due 5:22 a. m.	No. 121 due 11:31 a. m.
No. 124 due 12:30 p. m.	No. 101 due 2:53 p. m.
No. 102 due 2:37 p. m.	No. 131 due 5:49 p. m.

Carson Bros. pay cash for Furs.

Try our Hot Drinks--so good--City Restaurant.

WANTED--25 boys and girls to help at our big sale. CARSON & CO.

Try our Pickled Pig's Feet--fine--City Restaurant.

For good things to eat, go to the City Restaurant.

See Fairs' new spring White Goods. Prices reasonable.

Nicest line of Fruits and Candies in Hartford at City Restaurant.

Mr. J. W. Tichenor, Point Pleasant, was a pleasant caller Tuesday.

A gigantic sale by Carson & Co. See the announcement on the back page.

Prof. L. N. Gray is confined to his room from an attack of la grippe.

Leave your laundry at Cleve Iler's grocery. Work guaranteed. Prompt delivery. 46tf

Nabisco Cheese Sandwich, Fruit Cake, Almonds Bon-Bons at City Restaurant.

Fresh Oysters, Fish, Celery and Cranberries constantly on hand at City Restaurant.

From now until February 17th, I will allow two per cent. off all taxes paid me. SAM T. BARNETT.

Buy the American Lady Corset at Fairs'. Fits better and feels better than other makes.

Sheriff Keown has received a ticket admitting him to the Roy Green hanging at Owensboro, Feb. 17.

Fairs' new Woolen Dress Goods, Mohairs, Sicilians, Panama Cloth, are ready for your inspection.

Mrs. W. T. Woodward and daughter, Corine, are quite ill of la grippe at their home on Clay street.

Cream Cheese, Brick Cheese, Sausage, Boneless Ham, Dried Beef and Crackers at City Restaurant.

Mrs. M. L. Heavrin returned Monday from a week's visit to relatives and friends at Henderson and Owensboro.

Bring your furs to Sam Bach, the Hartford merchant. He will take all you've got and pay you the highest cash price.

Mr. Clell Smith, Taffy, is here under the treatment of Dr. A. F. Stanley for lymphangitis caused by relapse in typhoid fever.

Several valuable communications were received yesterday afternoon too late to be put into type for this issue. They will appear next week.

Cecil Park, a son of Mr. J. A. C. Park, of the Clear Run neighborhood, who is attending school here, is quite ill of pneumonia at the residence of Dr. J. R. Pirtle.

T. Wade Stratton, of the North Hartford neighborhood, left the latter part of last week for Bowling Green, where he will complete his commercial course in the Bowling Green Business College.

Buy our scholarship in the Massey Business College at Louisville. It is good for either the commercial or shorthand department. It entitles you to go as long as you want to. Position guaranteed by this school. Apply at REPUBLICAN office.

The National Benevolent Society organized a lodge here January 30, 1905. There were sixteen charter members. The primary object of the order is to furnish its members insurance at a normal rate, but it has social features also.

Mr. W. H. Fulkerson died at his home near Smallhouse, at 6 o'clock p. m. last Thursday. His remains were interred in the Equality church burying ground Friday in the presence of many relatives and friends. Mr. Fulkerson was one of the best citizens the county affords. In religious belief he was a Baptist.

See Fairs' Remnant table of Woolen Dress Goods.

Prettiest in town--Fairs' new Spring Gingham.

Mr. Larkin Williams, Centertown, called to see us Saturday.

Mr. John M. Bishop, Centertown, was a pleasant caller Saturday.

Fair & Co's. store news on the opposite page might interest you.

Mr. M. T. Likens is quite ill of the grip at his home on Frederica street.

Mr. J. E. Curtis, of the West Hartford neighborhood, called at this office Saturday.

Jas. M. Taylor, Birdseye, Ind., is visiting his brother, John W. Taylor, this week.

Col. C. M. Barnett, who has been confined to his room with the grip, is able to be out again.

Mr. W. G. Duncan, of Greenville, was united in marriage to Miss Katherine Johnson, at Beechhurst, last Thursday evening.

All winter goods at exactly cost. This means a saving to you on boots, Winter Suits, Overcoats, Comforts, Blankets, etc. Don't buy until you see Fairs' prices.

Postmaster Wood Tinsley happened to a very painful accident Wednesday by falling down his rear door steps. He sustained a sprained ankle and numerous bruises.

Mr. I. N. Duke, of the Concord neighborhood, has been confined to his bed for the past two months. His affliction is a complication of diseases. His recovery is not expected.

We have just completed a job of 10,000 extra large hand bills for Carson & Co., to be used by them in telling the people what they will offer at their Gigantic Sale which begins next Wednesday.

The series of meetings which have been in progress for three weeks at the Methodist church have resulted in quite a large number of conversions and a general revival of religious sentiment in the community.

There seems to be an epidemic of grip prevailing throughout the county at present. People everywhere are reported ill from its ravages. Probably ten per cent. of the county's inhabitants have the malady.

Mrs. Florence Baltzell, died at her home at Auburn, Ky., at 6 o'clock Tuesday evening. Her remains were brought back to Liberty Thursday for interment. Mrs. Baltzell was the adopted daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. White, who with her many friends here are sorrow stricken.

The continuous frozen snowy weather is playing havoc with the bunnies, quails and various other game animals and fowls. Reports come from numerous farmers that quails have been found dead on their premises. Several say they have begun feeding them, fearing that they may all die. It would be well for others to leave something where the quails and other birds can get it.

The honor of representing the Kentucky State College in the inter-collegiate declamatory contests which will be held at Georgetown to-day was bestowed on Reuben Miller Holland, of Whitesville, Daviess county. Mr. Holland is quite young, not more than nineteen, and the honor will be accepted by his many friends as a fitting compliment deservedly bestowed.

In another column will be found the announcement of Mr. Mack Cook for the office of Magistrate of the Cromwell Magisterial District, subject to the action of the Republican party. Mr. Cook is a lifelong Republican and well qualified for the position to which he aspires. He is a teacher in the public schools of the county in which capacity he has labored for the past several years. Mr. Cook is in the prime of life, active and entergetic, and if he should receive the nomination at the hands of his party he will use all honorable means to secure his election.

No Money for Teachers. The following ambiguous and unsatisfactory communication has been received from the State Superintendent:

"Owing to the absence of the treasurer from the city, the February draft cannot be paid yet. I cannot say when it will be paid. I regret this very much, but it is not my fault." JAS. H. FUQUA, SR.

It will, therefore, be impossible for me to pay the teachers on Feb. 11, 1905. JAS. M. DEWEESSE, S. C. S. Ohio county.

GREATEST

Cut in prices this season. There are three months of cold weather yet before us, and every winter article can be put to good service. We have a fresh stock of Clothing, Shoes, Hats and Dry Goods to select from, also a big line of Trunks.

Clothing.

\$15.00 Suits cut to \$12.00	\$14.00 Suits cut to \$11.00
13.00 " " 9.50	12.50 " " 9.00
12.00 " " 8.50	11.00 " " 8.00
10.00 " " 7.50	9.50 " " 7.00
9.00 " " 6.50	8.50 " " 6.00
8.00 " " 5.50	7.50 " " 5.00
7.00 " " 4.50	6.00 " " 4.00

Overcoats, Shoes, Hats, etc.

Up-to-date \$2.50 Hats, black and brown and light colors, cut down to.....\$1.80
Latest style Hats that were sold for \$2.00, now.....\$1.25
Hats that were sold for \$1.50 now.....90c
Fine Shoes for men, sold for \$2, now....\$1.15
Men's Overcoats, with or without belt, formerly sold for \$10, now.....\$6.35
Heavy wool Sweaters that were sold for \$2.00, only.....\$1.00
A big line of heavy cotton Sweaters, regular price 50c, cut price.....43c
75c heavy Work Shirts, all sizes, only.....48c
A lot of 50c men's fancy Shirts, cut price.....42c
Shoes of fine make and material what were sold for \$3, now.....\$2.10
Latest \$2.50 fine ladies' Shoes, cut down to \$1.90
\$2 ladies' Shoes of the latest style for....\$1.40
Extra heavy fleece lined Underwear, regular price \$1.00 per suit, cut price, per suit.....84c
A lot of heavy Underwear that sold at 35c and 40c per garment, cut price per garment.....23c
Heavy cotton Socks, 6 pairs for.....25c
Ladies' nice black Hose, 6 pairs for.....25c

Dry Goods, Dress Goods, Blankets, Comforts and everything else have been cut down to the lowest price.

Sam Bach,
Hartford, Ky.

CASH WANTED!

On and after Feb 1, 1905 we will place our business on a Cash Basis--that is, sell for Cash or its equivalent.

In so doing we do not aim to reflect on the honesty or integrity of any one, but do so with the purpose of giving more goods for less money than we have been able to do on the credit basis, thus giving to our trade better service and satisfaction. We can buy our goods for cash, in which alone is saving, and can sell them from 10 per cent. to 20 per cent. cheaper than the credit houses; thus saving to the man who pays his bills the percentage always put on the goods by credit house cover loss in bad accounts, which they always have.

Please compare the following prices with what you have been paying and what credit houses are charging you. Make out your bill for two weeks or a month and you will be surprised at the saving to you to pay cash as you go.

Best Flour (market advanced) per bbl \$6.40	Co. Sifted Sorgham . . . per gal 39c
Best Flour per sack 82c	Macaroni per lb. 10c
Meal per bu. 7.00	Lard (pure) per lb. 10c
7 Pkgs. Coffee any brand \$1.00	Fancy Pickles, 10c doz. 3 doz. 25c
Best English Breakfast Tea 50c per pound	7 bars Lenox Soap 25c
7 lbs. good Rice 25c	7 bars Lighthouse Soap 25c
3 lbs. best Rice 25c	11 bars Ark Soap 20c
Tomatoes per can 9c, 3 for 25c	Navy Beans per lb. 4 1/2c
Corn per can 9c, 3 for 25c	Butter Beans per lb. 7c
Sauer Kraut per can 9c, 3 for 25c	Bright Sun-dried Apples per lb. 15c
Loose Kraut per pound 4c	Bright Sun-dried Peaches per lb. 6c
Coal Oil per gal. 16c	Best Miners' Oil per gal. 50c

A corresponding reduction throughout the house except on Overcoats, on which we allow 25 per cent. off. So come to see us and let us figure on your next bill, and you will go away satisfied that this is the place to buy your goods.

The Brown Mercantile Co.,
(INCORPORATED.)
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Winter Tourist Tickets, good going via Asheville, through the Land of the Sky and Beautiful Sapphire Country, and returning via Atlanta and Chattanooga—or vice versa—are now on sale at Low Rates.

The "Florida Limited" composed of finest Pullman Drawing Room Sleepers and vestibuled coaches with Dining Car service enroute leaves Cincinnati every morning via Queen & Crescent Route running through without change to Jacksonville via Chattanooga and Southern Ry. Connecting train leaves Louisville at 7:40 a. m. daily.

The Chicago and Florida special—consisting of elegant Drawing Room Sleepers, observation cars, Club car etc., leaves Cincinnati at 9:25 a. m. (except Sunday) running through Solid to St. Augustine via Chattanooga and Southern Railway with Dining Car service enroute. Connecting train leaves Louisville at 7:25 p. m. carrying observation sleeper through without change from Louisville to St. Augustine, also through sleeper to Knoxville.

Through Pullman Sleepers to Jacksonville from Cincinnati every evening via Knoxville, Asheville and Savannah.

From Louisville, connection with all of the above trains is made at Lexington by trains of Southern Railway.

For "Land of the Sky" book, "Winter Homes" folder, Rates Schedules or other information, address: A. C. Rincerson, G. P. A. Q. & C. Cincinnati, O.

C. H. HUNGERFORD, District Passenger Agent, 234 Fourth Avenue, Louisville, Ky.

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If you haven't a regular, healthy movement of the bowels every day, you're ill or will be. Force, in the shape of violent physic or pill poison, is dangerous. The smoothest, easiest, most perfect way of keeping the bowels clear and clean is to take



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THE UNDERSIDE UP.

Father Most Important Factor
in Developing Manly and
Womanly Children.

[American Farmer.]

It is well occasionally to turn the underside of life up and find where in we can improve conditions. We find on the underside of home too little father. We are told that if "only for one generation the hearts of the fathers should be turned to the children, society would be regenerated." With persistent effort we urge women to do thoroughly their work as mothers; but it is not intended that men can be relieved of social obligations to their homes.

On the whole there must be domestic reciprocity, the wife will defer to the husband and the husband to the wife, but on all principal questions, on all important matters, the husband is the one who usually puts the final determination on the matter. The wife recognizes in her husband the determinative source of strength from which she will have her best support in the management of the home for the best good for all and the training of the children. True it is that the fathers' place as bread-winner must necessarily hold him considerably apart from the contact of home life; but a woman's crime of neglecting her family cannot consistently be made his privilege. He may be a successful farmer but if he neglects his obligation to his home, to his wife and children, he is a failure and no achievements compensate for the neglect. The home cannot be made successful unless it contains the true husband and the wise devoted father. The father may provide well for his household, but the home needs more than this, and the child needs the ministry that comes by direct association with the father.

The father has an important and an indispensable part in developing in the children their possibilities of

manhood and womanhood. The mother cannot substitute for the father's part, however complete a woman and noble a mother she may be; there is a vast difference between what each will contribute toward the formation of the personal character of the children, but the contribution of each is an absolute essential. The father is often only too willing to relegate to the mother the upbuilding of the children's character and supervision of their education, and he is content to become an unknown quantity in the lives of the children. When he takes this position he does not deserve the dignity of fatherhood and he thrusts upon his children a defective legacy which cannot be supplied by the mothers' or teachers' care. We look to the father to bring into the home the outside world with its business, its policies and its great competitions. And the way he views these affairs, the relation he sustains toward the world and his business principles, will to a great extent form the standing his children will take in the world. It is real life, and not preaching and precept that gives the young the bent of mind. As a rule boys take their cue from the father's acts and deeds.

Catarrh a Disease of The System.

Pe-ru-ha Cures Catarrh
Wherever Located.

Catarrh is a systemic disease, curable only by a systematic treatment. A remedy that cures catarrh must aim directly at the depressed nerve centers. This is what Peruna does. Peruna immediately invigorates the nerve centers which give vitality to the mucous membranes. Then catarrh disappears. Then catarrh is permanently cured.

If you do not receive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

Easy to Shoot Rattlesnake's
Head off.

[Pearson's Magazine.]

In this wide world there are several things that are swifter than a rattlesnake, but they can probably be counted on the fingers of one hand. One of these things is a bullet, whereby hangs the explanation why it is easy to shoot the head off a rattler although a marksman finds it difficult to place bullet along the fat, seven-foot line between the neck of the reptile and the tip of its tail.

It has long been regarded as a curious coincidence that even the man not famed for accuracy has had no trouble in blowing the head off a diamond back. In the diamond back country only one explanation is offered for this—it is the snake and not the man that does the aiming.

At close quarters, the instant the muzzle of a six-shooter is thrust toward a rattlesnake, the infallible eye catches the range and in the fraction of a twinkling the deadly head has aligned itself. As the gun roars and darts its tongue of flame, the head of the creature is torn clean as if severed with a knife, and the viper lies writhing, emitting a defiant rattle even as its grim, relentless heart ceases its beat.

Peculiar Disappearance.

J. D. Runyan, of Butlerville, O., laid the peculiar disappearance of his painful symptoms, of indigestion and biliousness, to Dr. King's New Life Pills. He says: "They are a perfect remedy, for dizziness, sour stomach, Headache, constipation, etc." Guaranteed at Z. Wayne Griffin & Bro's., drug store, price 25c.

Some Etiquette Don't's.

Don't laugh at your own wit. Allow others to do that. And don't talk at people. That is, don't talk for the benefit of strangers, hoping to attract their admiration. Men and women are much given to this vulgar habit.

Don't forget that if you secure an introduction for the purpose of asking a favor you have no further claim upon that person's recognition after the business is transacted.

Don't overlook the fact that news that is not well vouched for should not be repeated, else you may acquire the reputation of being unreliable.

Don't fail to remember that in business you are expected to answer

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any question asked, even if it does not benefit you personally. In the end you will be the gainer, for you will be esteemed as an obliging person.

Don't forget that in company it is bad form to converse with another in a language that is not understood by the rest, unless that person cannot express herself in good English.

Don't fail to take the precaution to insert the stopper in the ink bottle if you are called away while writing. You do not know what careless person may approach your desk in your absence and do your work irreparable damage.

Franklin and Kings.

In the writings of Thomas Jefferson are some interesting anecdotes of Benjamin Franklin. He says: "When Dr. Franklin went to France on his Revolutionary mission his eminence as a philosopher, his venerable appearance and the cause on which he was sent rendered him extremely popular. All ranks and conditions of men entered warmly into the American interest. He was, therefore, feasted and invited to all court parties. At these he sometimes met the old Duchess of Bourbon, who, being a chess player of about his force, very generally played with him. Happening once to put her king into prize, the doctor took it. 'Ah, said she, 'we do not take kings so.' 'We do in America,' said the doctor.

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She came in in a hurry in the afternoon and placed her cherished hat, which she loved better than life, on the globe of the gas jet while she got into house shoes and gown. After this she was so busy she didn't think about the hat, and it remained on its resting place after the house was wrapped in slumber.

It was in the middle of the night that she was roused by one of the children crying in the nursery. She sprang out of bed and, hastening to the jet nearest her, turned on the gas and applied a match under the globe to the burner. In an instant the hat which rested upon it and which she had entirely forgotten was in a flame. It blazed like a torch at a funeral pyre, and the woman was so astonished and frightened at this sudden pyrotechnic display that she gave one scream, which awakened her husband and brought him flying to the rescue. He brought with him the woman's best and favorite bedspread, a handsome thing, not oversubstantial.

With great presence of mind the man wrapped the hat in the counterpane and extinguished the blaze. But—and this, the man says, is where the sad part of the story comes in—the coverlet was ruined, and instead of the heroine of the incident thanking her lord fervently for his timely assistance and having saved her life she turned upon him with reproach in her mien and fire in her eye. "You've ruined my best bedspread, you careless thing!" she said. And then: "Oh, my hat! My hat!"

When the man fell asleep he says Rachel was still weeping for her headgear, and he says that hereafter people who put things in unusual places will have to take care of them themselves, with sounds vague, but his wife knows what he means.—Baltimore News.

Small Inventions Most Profitable.

"Something homely," said the aged inventor. "Something little, something simple, something cheap. A hook and eye, a toothbrush, a shoe button. Those are the inventions that there is money in."

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Mixing Natural History.

The Davenport (England) Express grew indignant recently at a contemporary who did not believe a French or German army could ever land in England.

"To pooh-pooh the idea of this country ever being invaded," wrote the editor, "is to follow the example of the camel, which buries its head in the sand when an enemy approaches."

To which Punch retorted, "Surely the author of this apothegm must have meant to refer to the ostrich, which in these circumstances has a habit of putting its eye through a needle."

Scotch Dog Story.

Colliers in some parts of the highlands are supposed only to understand English. The Spectator has heard of a Gaelic speaking shepherd gravely assuring an Englishman that it was impossible "to work a

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Sandy, now. He's hardly a word of the Gaelic," while Sandy sat with a look on his face which seemed to say: "It's quite true. I have never been able to acquire more than the barest smattering of the vernacular."

HE WANTED ENVELOPES.

Why His Request For Them Caused a Postoffice Holdup.

The pronunciation of a word caused a holdup in the line at a stamp window of the general post-office the other day. A man went up to the window and asked for two stamped "en-vel-ops," putting the accent on the last syllable. The clerk took the money and held it without making any attempt to hand out the required articles.

"Well," said the purchaser, "when do I get them?"

"Get what?" asked the clerk.

"I asked for two envelopes," again accenting the last syllable.

"Oh, you mean two en-vel-ops," replied the clerk patronizingly, giving a vicious accent to the second syllable.

"No, I didn't mean anything of the kind!" snapped the purchaser.

"Well, that's what you ought to have said, all right," the clerk observed.

"Say, what do you deal in here, stamps or pronunciation? I didn't come here to buy instruction from you."

"Why not call it ong-vel-ope and let it go at that?" said a studious looking man as he poked a penny under the glass and asked for a postal card.

"I hear that word pronounced in so many different ways in one day that it gives me the rickets," said the clerk later. "There ought to be an official postoffice order on it, as in Arkansas the legislature told the people how to pronounce the name of the state. I can stand for most any way but ong-vel-ope. That is used by people who are trying to appear Frenchified."—New York Press.

THE EARTH AS IT MIGHT BE.

What Would Happen if the Sun Suddenly Became Extinct.

The boldest imagination may well stand appalled at the consequences of a sudden extinction of the sun. For eight and a quarter minutes—the length of time that it takes the light of the sun to reach the earth—we should not know that anything had happened. Then the darkness would fall upon the world, neither the moon nor the planets would give any light, and the fixed stars would shine like tiny points of fire out of a coal black sky. The moisture of the atmosphere would instantly congeal in a universal deluge of ice, the small stock of heat possessed by the earth would rapidly radiate into space, and the temperature would go on falling till a degree of cold more than 300 degrees below zero would be reached, and the very gases of the atmosphere would be liquefied and fall on the frozen surface of the planet.

Absolutely total darkness there would not, of course, be and never could be unless all the stars were extinguished. But relative darkness would continue for an enormous period which can only be approximately calculated. The solar system is moving through space toward a point in the constellation of Hercules at a speed of 150,000,000 miles a year, or four miles a second. But there are no self luminous stars within a distance equal to 200,000 times the distance between the earth and the sun. Therefore this gigantic gulf would have to be crossed before starlight became sunlight, and this it would take some 118,900 years to do.

Toward the end of that period, supposing always that the other star systems had not moved correspondingly, stars in Hercules would begin to shine as suns, and the long darkened solar system would be re-illuminated by rays of ever increasing intensity until it fell into its appointed place as a portion of those distant systems. It should also be mentioned that the tremendous journey might not be performed without collision with some other burned out sun or darkened system now invisible, in which case the shock would regenerate light and heat, and out of the wrecks of the two systems a new one would be evolved.

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\$1 Ladies' Kid Gloves.....**49c**
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Men's Leather Gloves **19c**
Canvas Gloves.....**7c**

Ribbons worth 20c yard.....**4c**
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25 yards Ribbon.....**19c**

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